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Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of	)	
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Bayless Consolidated School District	)	CC Docket No. 02-6
In the Schools and Libraries Program	)	

REQUEST FOR WAIVER OF 471 APPLICATION AND ITEM 21 DEADLINE

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**Bayless School District, BEN 136918**

**FCCRN: 1999077130**

**470: 190021063, 190021077, 190021084** (WAP, Switches, UPS/Battery Backup)  
**471: 1999077130** (WAP, Switches, UPS/Battery Backup)


Bayless School District in Missouri (80% E-rate discount), respectfully requests a waiver of the 2019-2020 Form 471 application and Item 21 deadline. Our original submission was timely submitted, but a clerical error of inadvertence occurred which required refileing out of time.

On February 3, 2019, the school district filed three Form 470's for Category 2 services (Form 470 Number 190021063, 190021077, 190021084) well within the window to meet bidding requirements and 471 window filing requirements. However, prior to filing our 471, we realized that we filed our original 470's with incorrect "Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections" service type instead of the correct category of service, "Internal Connections"

and were unable to file our 471. Unfortunately, we did not catch the clerical error nor did bidders bring it to our attention. A call to MOREnet confirmed that we would have to file a corrected 470, file the corresponding 471 Out of Window and beyond the 14-day grace period, and file a waiver with the FCC. Accordingly, a second, properly coded 470 was filed immediately, number 190029866, and all competitive bidding requirements were followed. The corresponding 471, number 1999077130 was filed on April 10, 2019.

Thank you for your kind support in granting this request for waiver of the March 27, 2019 filing deadline. Bayless is a small school district, classified by DESE as one of the most diverse school districts per capita in the state of Missouri, where the staff wears many different hats including the role of E-Rate coordinator. The amount of the funding requested is very important to our district. We look forward to another year of services from E-rate which will allow us to update our infrastructure as we transition to digital teaching and learning.

Respectfully submitted this 19th day of April, 2019.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Preston Sterett". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Preston" being more prominent than the last name "Sterett".

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Attached: 470 (old and new), 471.